

REMARKS

Claims 8-11, 14-15 and 28-30, 34-36, 39-40 are currently pending. Claims 1-7, 12, 13, 16-27, 31-33, 37 and 38 have been cancelled. Claims 9, 14-15 and 39 have been amended. Claim 9 was amended to correct a typographical error.

In the October 16, 2006 Office Action, the Examiner allowed claims 8-11, 14, 15, 28-30, 34-36 and 40. The applicant thanks the Examiner for the allowance of these claims.

In the Office Action, the Examiner also rejected claims 14-15 and 39 as being unpatentable over U.S. Patent No. 6,279,112 (O'Toole) in view of US Patent No. 5,878,141 (Daly). The applicant traverses the Examiner's rejections but has also amended claims 14, 15 and 39 to more clearly define the claimed invention. With respect to claims 14 and 39, the applicant has added the limitation of a gateway to a third party billing system for transmission of payment from the user to the publisher. The applicant respectfully submits that this gateway limitation is not disclosed or suggested by the cited prior art references. With respect to claim 15, the applicant has amended the claim to add the limitation that the content data objects are processed for transmission according to a type of client computing device operated by the user to access the content data objects. The applicant respectfully submits that this limitation is not disclosed or suggested by any of the cited prior art references.

For these reasons, the applicant respectfully submits that claims 14, 15 and 39 are not unpatentable under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) over O'toole in view of Daly. Applicant respectfully requests that a timely Notice of Allowability be issued in this case. The applicant retains the

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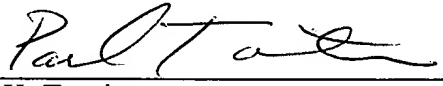
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right to present claims 16-26 4-7, 12, 13, 27, 31-33, 37 and 38 in a continuation or divisional application.

The Examiner is encouraged to call the undersigned if there are any questions or comments at (415) 705-6386. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any underpayment of fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 04-0822.

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